



**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Toshio YAMADA et al.

Application No.: 10/694,998

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Docket No.: 117636

For: METHOD FOR PLUGGING A CELL OF A HONEYCOMB STRUCTURE AND  
METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING A HONEYCOMB PLUGGED STRUCTURE

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Specification;**

**Remarks.**